

SALMON PROPAGATION.

It is Earnestly Recommended by
Competent Authorities.

Unless Something Is Done to Perpetuate
the Salmon Family It Will Become
Extinct and the Buffalo of
the Fishes.

Special Washington Letter.

Hon. Marshall McDonald, the late
Secretary of the Interior, has recommended
various actions to have national parks
or reservations established for the
propagation of salmon, and to prevent
the extermination of that popular
family of fish. In the recently
issued communication to the president
the conclusion is to this particular
attention is paid to this subject. It is
stated that not only is every contrivance
employed that human ingenuity
can devise to destroy the salmon of our
west-coast rivers, but more surely de-
structive, more fatal than all, is the
salmon.



WHERE SALMON ABOUND.

slow but inexorable agencies of human progress, before which the salmon must surely disappear, as did the buffalo of the plains. The helpless salmon's life is gripped between these two forces, the mindless greed of the fisherman, and the white man's advancing civilization, and what hope is there for the salmon in the one. Protection and artificial breeding are able to hold the first check, but nothing can stop the last."

This statement is supplemented by the inquiry: "What is it that destroyed the salmon of the Hudson, the Connecticut, the Merrimac, and the various rivers of New England, where they used to be exceedingly abundant?" It was not overfishing that did it. If the excessive fishing had been all there was to contend with, a few simple laws would have been sufficient to preserve some remnants at least of the species.

It was not the fishing, it was the growth of the country, as it is commonly called, the increase of the population necessarily bringing with it the development of cities, by which communities live and become prosperous. It was the mills, the dams, the steamboats, the manufacturers in-jurions to the water, and similar causes which, first making the streams and rivers too warm for the salmon, finally exterminated them all together. In short, it was the growth of the country and not the fishing which really set a bound to the habitations of the salmon on the Atlantic coast.

Then, concerning the salmon rivers of the West, for example, it is said that "when the first rush of gold-seekers came to California in 1849, every tributary of the Sacramento was a fruitful spawning-ground for salmon, and into every tributary countless shoals of salmon swam and swam, until they desirous of safety, but little fishing in those times; but it was the gold-seekers who drove the salmon out, ruining the spawning grounds, and rendering the river uninhabitable for the salmon."

Dr. Livingston Stone, an eminent scientist interested in the preservation of the salmon fisheries, says: "Who would not think that, in this country, that the creation of a national park in this country would be the means of rescuing the buffalo from extinction? Who thought then that anything was needed to rescue the buffalo? The buffalo roamed over most of the plains and the mountains, slopes of the central portions of the United States and were so innumerable that, with the exception of a few, half-gorged persons, they seemed invincible."

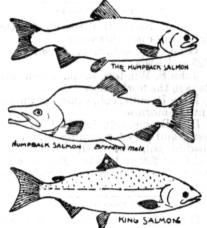
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"How soon we found out our mistake, and how suddenly the change came. The note of alarm had hardly been sounded long enough to be distinctly comprehended over the country before the buffaloes were gone—all, save the occasional example of a straggling survivor, which, if they had not found refuge in Yellowstone park, would have been gone too, long before this. The Yellowstone National park saved them. It saved them, and the world, and the country, and, if nothing else should ever be accomplished by the creation of the park, this alone would justify its existence."

All the rivers within the jurisdiction of the United States have been investigated for fish propagation, and none of them are free from objection, and make salmon propagation impossible. Where to locate a salmon park has been a problem which has vexed the commission for a number of years. A place has been at last discovered for a salmon hatchery; a river which is a salmon river, and the fish commission believes that it should be set aside as an eternal heritage for the

salmon. Dr. Stone regards it as fortunate for the country that there is in our Atlantic coast a place which is a place as is wanted—probably more than one—and so exceptionally fortunate is America in this respect that it is not likely that, this side of the frozen, Arctic, land, it can be duplicated in the possessions of the United States. The entire circumstance goes to show how near the world has reached the extreme limit of its salmon supply, especially referred to as an island in the North Pacific, about 100 miles, nearly due west of Sitka. Its name is Afognak, and it is the northernmost of the two largest islands of the group called the Kodiak islands. It lies just north of latitude 58 and between 152 and 154 degrees longitude. It is a small island, probably not more than fifty miles across at its widest part, but there are several streams flowing from various points of the island to the surrounding ocean that at the proper season are most remarkable. It is no exaggeration to say that salmon swarm up these streams in countless myriads. "In 1889 the salmon were so thick in the streams that it was absolutely necessary, in fording them, to kick up stones in the way to avoid stumbling over them."

This story illustrates as well as anything the wonderful abundance of salmon in the Afognak streams; and it can be easily believed when it is remembered that about a month earlier 150,000 salmon were caught in a day at the mouth of the Big River, which is a river only sixty feet wide where it empties into the ocean. The salmon are there in as great numbers as could be wished. All the varieties also could be found in the Pacific ocean, according to Afognak. This is a land of contrasts. The land is the "blue-back" of the Columbia; the chinook salmon, the "quinnat" or "spring salmon" of the Columbia; the silver salmon, the "silver-side" of the Columbia; the "black salmon," the dog salmon, the steelhead, the "square-tailed" trout of the tributaries of the Columbia, and the "dolly varden." What a paradise for salmon this island is, and what a magnificent place of safety it would be to set up a national park where the salmon could always be unmolested. The island is inhabitable all the year round; with a comparatively even temperature, although so far north, the winter's cold is not excessive, probably equal to that of parts of New England, it being cool in New England in summer, but there is much less variation of temperature between summer and winter.



SOME SPECIMENS.

The island will never be wanted for anything else, and it is inhabited only by a few Aleuts. Artificial hatching can be instituted there at any time and on a large scale. Thus, all of the streams of the continent can be provided with these beautiful and desirable inhabitants at small expense to the government.

In presenting his argument for the establishment of a national salmon park, the fish commissioner makes liberal statements, and when we have them we have raised the question and his efforts will undoubtedly have an effect upon the minds of our national legislators. Certainly every man who loves the sport, and everyone who realizes the importance of maintaining our salmon fish food of the best quality, will concur in the forcefulness of the plea which has been officially made.

The wonderful abundance of salmon in the waters of Alaska has been known for years to those who have had opportunities for investigation, but the people of the country are remote and inaccessible to the general public that until the fish commissioner gave publication of the facts it was impossible for everyone to know all of the truth and all of the possibilities which may result from the establishment of a national park.

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HOPKINSVILLE KENTUCKIAN.

QUEEN MARIE HENRIETTE.

One of the Most Accomplished of European Sovereigns.

If the cable can be believed, the wife of Leopold, King of the Belgians, cannot stand the illness which has caused her to leave her palace at Brussels for some weeks.

Queen Marie Henriette has few rivals

in Europe as a horsewoman and judge

of horseflesh, not even exceeding her

husband in that respect. One of her

husband's favorite amusements is to

organize equestrian entertainments, to

which only intimate friends or persons

attached to the court are ever admitted.

The queen is a woman of great versa-

tility of talents. She is remarkably

clever as a conjurer, is passionately

fond of music, plays the piano and

harmonium well, and is an accomplished

painter.

She is a daughter of the late Arch-

duke of Austria, was born Augu-

st 23, 1858, and was married Augu-

st 23, 1853, to Prince Leopold of Belgu-

um. King Leopold's health ascended

so rapidly that it was his death which

led to the abdication of King Leopold II, December 10, 1885.

The queen is the mother of Prince Stephen-

of Austria, widow of Crown Prince Rudolph, only son of the em-

peror of Austria.

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Originally the token was a simple

flower of wrought gold, staled

and gilded, but in imitation of the

natural color. Afterwards the golden

petals were adorned with rubies and

other stones, and finally, in 1883, it was

adorned with a thorny branch with

several flowers and leaves and one chief

flower at the top, all of pure gold, with

the exception of the precious stones

with which the principal parts are em-

bellished.

This decoration is not often conferred,

and it is considered of such consequence

that it is either presented by the pope

in person or forwarded by a deputy of

the highest ecclesiastical standing and

consideration.

THE TRICYCLE EXPRESS.

Chicago Likes a London Idea and Decides to Try It.

The marked utility and popularity of a tricycle for delivering small parcels in London has induced the United States Express company to adopt such vehicles for distributing light-weight packages.

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SPEAKING APPOINTMENTS.

DR. CLARDY'S APPOINTMENTS. The following appointments have been made by the Democratic Campaign Committee for Congressman Jno. D. Clardy:

Henderson, Monday, September 23. Jessamine, Tuesday, September 24. Hazard, Wednesday, September 25. Calhoun, Thursday, September 26. Moreland, Monday, October 7. Speaking to begin at 1:30 p.m.

BRADLEY AS A LOBBYIST.

When Judge Holt finished introducing Col. Bradley to his Frankfort audience a few days ago, Judge Sneed arose and said that Judge Holt had neglected to call attention to Col. Bradley's unwavering friendship for Frankfort, and the great service he had been to the city in its fight to keep the Capital.

Judge Sneed, himself, neglected to tell something. He should have told that when he had his two fights made by Frankfort the town had much to contend against. A citizen's committee learned that in the last fight money was being expended by the city's enemies. Frankfort was willing to "fight the devil with fire," but had little of this sort of "fire." The citizens' committee determined to put what money it had where it could be legitimately used, and where it could do the most good. They found that several Republican votes in the House and Senate were against Frankfort. They also found that there was a Republican "boss" in Kentucky who could "persuade" members to vote as he wished. They went out after the "boss." They employed him as their attorney. They sent a man to Lancaster. They found him there. His name was W. O. Bradley. They employed him. He came to Frankfort and did seem to change several Republican votes that helped win the fight for Frankfort. Then it was the citizens' committee said Col. Bradley. They gave him \$300 for his "services." The receipt for this amount is in existence in this city. So is the receipt for a \$200 "fee" paid Col. Bradley by Frankfort on another occasion.

The Capital doesn't know what amount the Royal Baking Powder Company and other corporations paid Col. Bradley for using his influence to kill bills that proposed to put a just check on these corporations.

It doesn't say that he was the paid lobbyist of corporations and used his influence in their behalf on the Republican majority in the "corrupt" administrations then in power.

Frankfort pays her debts. She doesn't owe Col. Bradley anything except perhaps the Republican vote of this session. He is welcome to as much as he can get, but he may not claim the money and votes given to the Frankfort Democrats whom he "befriended." — Capital.

One more issue of bonds will finish the list that is left in the West and South of the gold craze. Of all the issues, few that supposedly sane men were guilty of, the refusal of the treasury to exercise the legal tender power of the five hundred millions of silver dollars in the treasury vaults is the most maniacal. — Evansville Courier.

Dr. Clardy has authorized the postponement of his Owensboro appointment from Sept. 24 to some date in the first week of October.

BUCKNER AND HARDIN.

Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, in getting out of the way of Joe Blackburn's band wagon, takes occasion to give utterance to a long and carefully prepared "manifesto," in which he abusively speaks of the Democratic party in general and Wat Hardin in particular. After venting his spleen and getting his spit-filled assault on the Democratic party out of the Louisville papers, he winds up by announcing his intention to vote for Hardin as the least of the two events. This paragraph is taken from his attack on Gen. Hardin:

"There is no use, therefore, in attempting to conceal from ourselves or from others the fact that the head of the State ticket is at war with the principles of his party on the financial question; and that instead of regulating his action, as we had a right to expect from his interview that he would do, by the will of this party deliberately expressed, he now defines its authority and sets his own will up as a guide for the action of his party. If this position be correct it is to the party what Louis XIV. was to the State."

In order that the real facts may be known, we herewith give the Democratic currency plank of 1887, upon which Gen. Buckner stood when he was elected Governor of Kentucky:

"We declare the honest money of the constitution good enough for the people as expressed in gold and silver, and paper convertible into coin and paper."

Gen. Buckner, a rank and ranting goldbug, who came near leading his party to defeat, in spite of the good platform he smothered his convictions to stand upon, and aided as he was by the support of the Courier-Journal at that time said nothing about "the head of the ticket" being at war with "party principles." Further comment is unnecessary.

BRADLEY TUOKE HIS TAIL.

[Louisville Times.]
Ten thousand men had gathered. Ten thousand, more or less. To hear their party leaders. Get off a joint address. They gathered from all over. They came from hill and vale, and to see the battle — And Bradley tucked his tail. They hoped to see the scrapping between the giants who were to have the battle. They hoped to party through. They hoped to hear the rattling of orotatorial hall. Upon the menial shelter — And Bradley tucked his tail. In other years when champions, Espousing any cause. In Old Kentucky, were ready For censure or applause; They stood to meet their foemen. Or with their friends prevail, To rise or fall with credit — And Bradley tucked his tail. Good Lord, if this be courage, Deliver us, we pray, From sand in any gizzard. We'd rather have the stuffin. Knocked out of us than fail To stand fast by our colors — And Bradley tucked his tail. Why should we have a leader If he must cut and run. When we have got him started, And half the job not done? Our harp is on the willows, Our song is turned to wail, And "Ichabod's" our motto. Since Bradley tucked his tail. MANY G. O. PETERS.

The total reinforcements (25,000) dispatched from Spain since August 15th have brought the forces now operating in Cuba to a total of 75,572 men, embracing the following different arms of the service, viz: 50,900 Infantry, 3,176 Cavalry, 1,853 Artillery, 1,415 engineers, 2,700 Ma Infantry, 976 Military Police, 4,400 Civil Guards, 1,152 Guerrillas.

With such an army at his command and a fleet of some forty or fifty vessels patrolling the coast, General Martinez Campos ought to be able to hold his own for awhile against a few thousand "rebels." The sympathies of all Americans are with the rebels, but of course there must be such heavy odds.

The Court of Appeals' reconvened Monday and among the first motions filed was one for a rehearing in the cause of the bank tax cases.

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It has been an open secret for several days that the local grand jury was investigating the libelous articles that have been published in the Louisville Commercial under a Frankfort date line, and the report comes so straight as to be beyond a doubt that indictments for criminal libel have been found and will be returned in a few days against D. Elliot Kelley, correspondent, Walter Forrester, managing editor President Dupont, several other individuals and the Louisville Press Company, publishers of the Louisville Commercial. The criminal libel for which the parties named are said to have been indicted, consists in publishing, according to the Auditor's office, and the reports of the Auditor. It is not known when the grand jury will make its first report. Frankfort Capital.

It is said that Senator Hill has promised to let President Cleveland appoint Hornblower to the vacancy on the supreme bench. Hornblower made peace with David by voting for him last year after Hill had defeated his confirmation in the senate.

Having shed tears over the Grand Army and helped to bridge the chasm of the late war, perhaps Marsh Henri is ready now to pitch in and help heal the breaches in the ranks of the Democratic party. This, however, is pure conjecture. The columns of the Courier-Journal do not show that he has reached such a determined nation.

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— Do April Showers make you **SHRINK** from the sight of your friends?

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The Great Cotton States Exposition at Atlanta was formally opened Wednesday, with banners unfurled from 347 flagstaffs on top of the various buildings. The button that set the machinery in motion was pressed by President Cleveland at Buzzard's Bay, Mass. Next Thursday will be "Kentucky Press day," the first in portant day.

Everything points to a most successful meeting of the Kentucky Press Association which convenes at Hopkinsville Sept 28. The old veterans such as Craddock, of the Paris Kentuckian, down to those tender young buds Messrs. Walton, of Stanford, and Priest, of Henderson, who have lately ventured on the sea of matrimony will be there. Hopkinsville is preparing to entertain her guests gorgeously and will meet out hospitality with a lavish hand.

Linn and Breathitt met in joint debate at Murray Monday, for the first time and are canvassing Calloway county together this week. Mr. Breathitt promised in his speech that if elected he would appoint as jury commissioners for Calloway county a Republican, a Democrat and a Populist. How about the other counties, James?

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AROUND AND ABOUT.

NOTHING BUT NEWS FOUND IN THIS COLUMN.

A Condensed Account of the Latest Happenings Tidily Told for Busy Readers.

John Burk was clubbed by officers at Springfield, Mo., and died.

Mrs. Jas. Ivey, of Marshall county, was killed in a runaway accident.

The Tribune, the new Republican daily at Owensboro, appeared Wednesday with F. H. Roberts as editor.

Olivia Hall, missing from Fayette county has been found. She left home to escape a disastrous marriage.

An entire business block was destroyed by fire at Union City, Tenn., last week. Loss \$40,000.

John and Simon Hancock, brothers, were mortally wounded during a fracas at a wedding in Green county.

Mark Twain has arrived at Sydney, New South Wales on his tour of Australia. He could not lecture at Honolulu, en route, on account of the cholera scare.

Mary Moseley, a colored woman living in the eastern part of Columbia, Mo., was 110 years old Sunday. She was born in Clark county, Ky., September 15, 1785.

Lee Johnson, col., was killed near Russellville by Henry Morgan last Sunday night. Morgan came home unexpectedly and caught Johnson with his wife. Both men emptied their revolvers in the darkness. Johnson fell just outside of the door with several bullet holes in his body. Morgan has not been arrested.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Reported by TATUM, ENNERY & CO.
LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS
BOURBON STOCK YARDS.

QUOTATIONS.

LOUISVILLE KY., Sept. 14.—Cattle—The receipts of cattle were liberal, to-day being 447 head. The market opened up active and continued so through out the day. At the close pens were well cleared of all decent grades of butcher cattle. Prospects look study for the next few days. Cattle—Extra shipping.....

\$4.50 to \$4.75

Light butchers.....

4.00 to 4.50

Fat to good butchers.....

3.00 to 3.75

Thin, fat to good butchers.....

2.50 to 3.00

Good to extra oxen.....

3.50 to 4.00

Common to medium oxen.....

1.50 to 2.00

Foggers.....

2.25 to 2.50

Beefers.....

2.25 to 2.50

Veal calves.....

2.50 to 3.00

Cattle, fat to good.....

2.50 to 3.00

Fat to good milch cows.....

1.50 to 2.00

Hogs—The receipts of hogs were 1058 head. The market opened slow at a decline of 5 to 10 cents from yesterday, to-day setting at \$4.30 to \$4.35. House-holds, packers and butchers, 225 lb to 300 lb.....

4.20 to 4.25

225 lb to 300 lb, good packing, 150 lb to 225 lb.....

4.30 to 4.35

Good to extra light, 150 lb to 180 lb.....

4.25 to 4.30

Fat shanks, 120 lb to 150 lb.....

4.00 to 4.10

Fat shanks, 120 lb to 150 lb, rough, 150 lb to 200 lb.....

3.50 to 3.75

Sheep and Lambs.—The receipts of sheep and lambs were 1,884 head. Sheep—fat to good, 381. The market ruled about steady. Monday's prices and most all the offerings were sold.

Sheep and Lambs—Good to extra fat.....

2.25 to 2.50

Fat.....

2.00 to 2.25

Common to medium.....

1.90 to 2.50

Extra lambs, Kentucky's.....

3.00 to 3.25

Fair to good.....

3.00 to 3.25

Common to medium.....

2.50 to 3.00

Fat—ends or tails.....

1.75 to 2.25

Satisfied with One Eye.

The Breyenthal newspapers record a new sample of meanness. An inhabitant of that city was afflicted with a cataract in both eyes. He contracted with a skilled physician to have two operations performed—one on each eye—for £50. The first operation proved very successful, but when the doctor offered to operate also on the other eye the patient refused, declaring that he could see as much as he wanted to see with the one eye, and tendered half of the amount stipulated, i. e., £25. The physician, however, says that he fixed the price as low as he did in consideration of the quantity of payment to be received, not in consideration of the quantity of work to be done, and the unique dispute is now before the courts awaiting a Solumonic settlement.

Sleep Preserves Youth.

Mme. Patti, who is a marvelous specimen of well-preserved powers, attributes her exceptional health to enough sleep—nine hours.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR.

PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder, fine from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant, 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

TRAINED CATS.

An English Showman Has a Large Number of Them.

A showman in England, Clarke by name, has succeeded in training a large number of cats to perform remarkable tricks. One of these is to walk over a long line of living rats, mice and caparises, stepping carefully between the fluttering little bodies of birds and mice, and harming none of them. Another cat climbs by a rope to the roof, seizes the handle of a parachute, and descends to the ground from a considerable height.

Mr. Clarke repeats, what is well known, that the cat is the most difficult of animals to train to the performance of tricks. He has trained lions, leopards, tigers, and other wild animals, and finds them teachable and submissive when compared with cats. The cat, indeed, can never be so far conquered that her performance can be depended on. Mr. Clarke's entertainment includes only thirty trained cats, but he has to take with him sixty, in order that he may have substitutes for those who will not perform.

He calls the cat a "hopeless bundle of sensibilities." Strike her once, though only by accident, and she will never perform again. Kindness is not only politic, but absolutely necessary. Some of his cats it took him four years of ceaseless effort to train.

Mr. Clarke's cats are extremely fond of him. When he enters his "eat stable," the mewling is prodigious, and he is instantly buried in a moving mantle of cats.

The difficulty in the cat's training does not lie in the animal's intelligence, but in her disposition. She is as clever in her tricks, if she likes to do them as a dog. But she does not wish to be subordinate her will to that of any living creature. She does what she wants to do only, and will perform, if she performs at all, only to please herself.

Those who have seen cats engaged in boxing matches will not be surprised to learn that Mr. Clarke has succeeded in training two cats to box very scientifically. They amuse great numbers of people nightly with their pugilistic encounters.

The animals which walk over the chains of rats, mice and canaries without touching them are only six in number. Any of the others would help themselves to these appealing creatures without compunctions. These six were brought up from their earliest infancy in cages with rats, mice and birds, and live with them constantly.—Youth's Companion.

COLORED MECHANICS.

An Influx of Skilled Laborers from the British West Indies.

Since June 1 there has been an influx of colored workmen, chiefly laborers and plasterers, into the New York market, and the sight of colored bricklayers at their work is not so rare as it used to be in town, says the New York Sun.

They have not come from the south, where skilled colored labor is rare and where colored mechanics of the first grade receive better wages than they would be able to secure in the city of New York in competition with an overstocked white labor market, but from the West Indies.

The English government has been prosecuting in Jamaica and other colonies in the West Indies public works which required not only skilled laborers, but skilled laborers able to bear the eruvating influence of the peculiar climate of some of the islands. The works have been going on for several years, and have been completed only recently. So soon as they were finished the labor market was overstocked with England's West Indian colonies and many of colored workers who had been making good wages and had been able to put some money aside set sail for the United States and have located in New York.

Many of them are masons, bricklayers and carpenters skilled in their craft and as building operations are going on very actively this year they have not had to wait long for employment. They are sober, industrious and have one recommendation to some employer which other workmen lack—they take no part in labor movements and labor organizations, and relieve contractors, therefore, from the menace of strikes and lockouts. Heretofore to contractors, they have been very few skilled colored mechanics in New York and very little demand for any.

Long Before the Bell Telephone.

A correspondent, noting the item recently published relative to the granting of a pension by the German emperor to Misa Reis, who, it is claimed by the Germans, is the real inventor of the telephone, writes the Boston Journal, that in the National museum at Washington may be seen a Reis telephone over which speech has been successfully transmitted, and which was unquestionably invented when Prof. Bell was a boy in school.

11 MAKING SUNLIGHT.

A Scientific Problem That Electrician Tesla Has on Hand.

He Believes He Can Produce a Light as Intense as that of the Sun—The Principle Illustrated—Wonderful Figures.

Tesla had two big undertakings on hand when his laboratory caught fire and was destroyed in New York. The more important of these, from his point of view, is the production of light by the vibration of the atmosphere. According to the inventor, the light of the sun is the result of vibrations in ninety-four million miles of ether, which separates us from the center of the solar system of which we are a part. His idea is to produce on earth vibrations similar to those that cause sunlight, and thus give us a light as intense as that of the sun, with no danger of obstruction from the clouds.

The inventor had already done something toward accomplishing this end when the fire occurred. It is understood that he has again taken the subject up in a way. To illustrate his principle, it is only necessary to take a long ear of glass and note the brilliancy of the light it produces through vibration alone. It is a prismatic experiment, in general terms, applied to electricity.

Tesla can compute vibrations as readily as most people count the wealth they would like to have. He can tell you the number of vibrations produced by a fly in action, and draw interesting comparisons therefrom. For example, he will tell you that a certain kind of fly peculiar to the swamps of Central America moves his wings about twenty-five thousand times to the second. You may doubt the accuracy of this statement in your own mind, but if you hunger for details Tesla will sit down and convince you with figures adduced from a scientific contemplation of the problem.

"All I have to do," he said, recently, "is to duplicate the number of vibrations required to light up the sun, and the practicability of my theory will have been demonstrated. It is difficult for me to give you an idea that you may readily grasp about the question of vibration. In ordinary life our minds do not deal with the figures that come up in such investigations. I have come to the conclusion that sunlight is produced by five hundred trillion vibrations of the atmosphere per second. In order to manufacture the same kind of light it will be necessary to produce an equal number of vibrations by machinery. I have succeeded up to a certain point, but am still at work on the task."—Current Literature.

HYPNOTIZED.

Edgar P's Peculiar Experience with His Sweetheart.

"Now, Wally," said Edgar, with a friendly smile, "I just want to make an experiment. If you offer no resistance, I think I can hypnotize you. What you have to do is to maintain a passive mental attitude. Try and think of nothing whatever. Not even of me. Come, try to be serious. There, lean back and make yourself comfortable. So, that will do. Now turn your eyes to this light, and don't forget that your mind is to be kept entirely inactive. I will count you sixty seconds by my watch."

The young lady scrupulously obeyed these instructions. In twenty seconds her eyes twinkled, after forty they closed completely.

"Ah! I knew I should do the trick!" Edgar triumphantly exclaimed. "Now, Wally, I command you to reveal to me the secrets of your heart. Whom do you love? Tell me, I say!"

An expression of reluctance flitted for a moment over the maiden's face; then she began in a monotonous drawl:

"I love Edgar P— and—"

"Yes! yes!" exclaimed the enraptured Edgar. "Go on; tell me all the secrets of your heart!"

"I love Edgar P—," she went on in the same tone, "and I would love him still more were he not so stony. I should like to go to the theater twice a week, but he only takes me there once in three months. I want diamond rings, and he gives me rings with cheap stones. I should like to go for a drive once or twice a week, but he never invites me. When I walk out with him and feel hungry, he never thinks of treating me to oysters. When I—"

"Enough!" the young man cried.

"Wake up! I command you!"

And so saying he made a rapid exit, without awaiting the result of his command.—Das Neue Blatt.

Accounted For.

Willie—What does Chawley walk with his face in the air like that for? Is his neck stiff?

Reggy—No; he's in love with a chorus girl and has occupied the front row steadily now for a whole month.—N. Y. World.

Auction!—

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COMMENCING

MONDAY, SEPT. 16.

Having decided to retire from the Jewelry Business, my entire stock will be sold at Public Auction. Watches, Jewelry, Diamonds, Silverware, Clocks, Bric-a-Brac, Fixtures and Safe. All will be sold regardless of cost or value without reserve or limit. "What is my loss is your gain." A chance of a lifetime. Everything goes at your own price. Sales commence each day at 10 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7 p. m. until all is sold.

T. G. YATES,

HOPKINSVILLE, KY

AS CHEAP AS

Well, just come and see how cheap they are

HARNESS, SADDLES,

BRIDLES just to suit you.

An elegant line of Summer Lap-Robes opened now.

Everything you can need we have.

F. A. Yost & Co.

Great Offerings!

Our Summer Clearance Sale is still going on and we are selling at a Great Sacrifice our handsome line

Dress Goods, French Ginghams, Summer Goods, Novelty Wool Patterns. These goods are going at cost and you will never have such another opportunity to buy.

If you want

Carpets, Mattings or Rugs

Remember we have the best stock in town and offer bargains impossible to duplicate.

RICHARDS & CO.

COMBINATION SUITS

For The

SCHOOL BOYS.

Comprising Suit, Extra Pair of Pants and Good Cap. Guaranteed to be all wool. All for \$3.

Of course we have got better ones at \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5.

Send the Boys to Us

We will fit them out Nicely and Save You Money.

COX & BOULWARE.

Circuit Court Directory.
Tuesday—First Monday in February—term two weeks; third Monday in May—term two weeks; first Monday in September—term three weeks.

CHRISTMAS.—Forside Monday in February—erm six to 7 a.m.; first Monday in June—term two weeks; first Monday in September—term three weeks.

CALLOWAY.—Second Monday in April—term three weeks; first Monday in August—term two weeks; second Monday in September—term three weeks.

LIVON.—First Monday in May—term two weeks; first Monday in August—term two weeks; first Monday in December—term two weeks.

Dr. Kollock in Nashville.

Regular Graduate and Registered Physician. Formerly Assistant Surgeon U. S. Navy, afterwards Post Surgeon U. S. Army, and later Surgeon U. S. Cavalry. Has been a well-known physician at Hisdell, Ark. Endorsed by the "Encyclopedias Britannica." Vol. X, page 185, the "largest and most important work in the world," being in works of reference. Has been a member of the church. He is noted as the discoverer of the active principle of galeninum, a specific for neuralgia of the face and womb. Cure Galeninum. Low Medicine and General Disability. Has been all over the world, and has made many cures up by other physicians. Vendome Building.

Try to make somebody happy and see what comes of it.

A SOUND LIVER MAKES A WELL MAN. Among the illious, constipated or troubled with jaundice, such headache, bad taste in mouth, foul breath, coated tongue, dyspepsia, indigestion, hot dry skin, pain in back and between the shoulders, chills and fever, etc. If you have any of these symptoms, your liver is out of order, and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because the liver is the great purifier. Herbinus will cure any disorder of the liver, stomach or bowels. It has no equal as a liver medicine. Price 15 cents. Free trial bottles at R. C. Hardwick's drug store.

When faith prays it never takes no for an answer.

From all accounts Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a Godsend to the afflicted. There is no advertisement about this; we feel just like saying it.—The Democrat, Carrollton, Ky. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

A sad countenance is a hypocrite's favorite mask.

In a recent letter to the manufacturers Mr. W. F. Benjamin, editor of the Spectator, Rushford, N. Y., says: "It may be a pleasure to you to know 'too much' about the Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is held by the people of your own state, where they must be best known. An aunt of mine, who resides at Dexter Iowa, was about to visit me a few years since, and before leaving home wrote me, asking if they were sold here, stating if they were not she would have a quantity with her, as she did not like to buy without a trial. The medicines referred to are Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of colds and cough; Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism, lame backs, pain in the side and chest, and Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. These medicines have been in existence for over 40 years, and for almost a quarter of a century. They have learned that they are articles of great worth and merit, and unequalled by any other. They are for sale here by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

If we love much we shall find a way to do much.

Several years ago I was taken with a severe attack of dux. I was sick in bed about ten days and could get nothing to relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured me and has been a household remedy with me ever since. J. C. MALOW, Decaturville, Mo. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

It is right to fast but it is wrong to lean.

TRUTHS TENSELY TOLD.

Foley's Honey and Tar is one of the standard medicines used in the Working Woman's Home Association, at 21 South Peacock street, Chicago.

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TO HORSE OWNERS.

For your animal in the healthy condition try Dr. Codd's Codd's Powder. They tone up the system, aid digestion, cure loss of appetite, relieve constipation, correct kidney disorders and destroy worms, giving new life to an old or over-worked horse. 25 cents per package. For sale by druggists.

An extravagant man loves to lecture his wife on the beauty of economy.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Mrs., she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

EXPECTANT MOTHERS, "MOTHERS' FRIEND"

Rob's Confession of its Pain, Horror and Risk.

My wife used "MOTHERS' FRIEND" before birth of her first child, she did not suffer from any pain, but subsequently suffered at the critical hour suffering little—she had no pain afterward and her recovery was rapid. E. E. JOHNSTON, Eustis, Ala. Price 15 cents. Send for sample, on receipt of price, 15 cents per bottle. Book of "MOTHERS' FRIEND" available.

HEADACHE RELIEVATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga. BOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT.

This liniment is different in composition from any other liniment on the market. It is a scientific discovery which results in a better and more penetrating liniment ever known. There are numerous white imitations, which may be recommended because they pay the seller a greater profit. Beware of these and demand Ballard's Snow Liniment. It positively cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Wounds, Cuts, Scars, and Inflammation. Rheumatism, Sprains, Scoliosis, Foot, Contracted Muscles, Stiff Joints, Old Sores, Pain in Back, Bare Wire Cuts, Sore Chest or Throat, and is especially beneficial in Paralysis. Free trial bottles at R. C. Hardwick's drug store.

No college ever made a saint.

FOUND.

At C. K. Wyly's drug store, a marvelous cure for all kidney complaints, nervous exhaustion and female weakness. It is the Clinic Kidney Cure.

Love your enemy to death and he will make a good friend.

NOTICE.

I WANT every man and woman in the United States interested in the Opium and Whisky habits to have one of my books on this disease. Price 15 cents. Send me 10 cents, Box 362, and one will be sent you free.

Never act a fool unless you are willing to be considered one.

THE BEST IS CHEAPEST.

Foley's Saraparilla is from three to ten times stronger in blood clearing qualities than any other proprietary medicine. Trial size, 5¢. For sale by C. K. Wylie.

It is better to be a mustard seed than a mountain of dead rock.

WHAT A PROMINENT INSURANCE MAN SAYS.

H. M. Blossom, senior member of H. M. Blossom & Co., 217 N. 3d St. St. Louis, writes: "I had a belief with a very distressing cough, the result of influenza, which nothing seemed to relieve, until I used Ballard's Horehound Syrup. One bottle completely cured me. I sent one bottle to my sister, who had a severe cough, and she experienced immediate relief. I always recommend this syrup to my friends."

John Cranston, 908 Hampshire Street, Gloucester, Mass., writes: "I have had Ballard's Horehound Syrup superior to any other cough medicine I have ever known. It never disappoints. Price 50¢. Free trial bottle on R. C. Hardwick's drug store.

It is the man who loafa the most who is the least satisfied with his wages.

ITS VALUE RECOGNIZED BY PHYSICIANS.

As a rule I am opposed to proprietary medicines. Still I value a good one, especially when such is the source of relief from pain. As a topical (external) application I have found Chamberlain's Pain Balm the best remedy I have ever used for neuralgia of any kind. I have conscientiously recommended it to many persons. WILLIAM HORNE, M. D., Janesville, Wis. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

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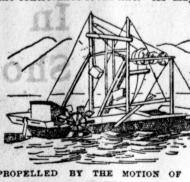
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PROPELLED BY WAVES.
Perpetual Motion Craft Derived by a Carpenter in California.

A strange craft devised by a San Francisco man is now afloat in San Francisco bay, and is causing the old salts to scratch their heads in wonder. The remarkable feature of the thing is that it is designed to make the water on which it floats do double duty, both that of buoying it up and that of propelling it. Other means of progress it has not. There is no electricity, steam, magnetism, gas or compressed air to furnish motive power. The water is expected to do it all.

This picture, reproduced from the San Francisco Chronicle, shows what the contrivance looks like. As may be



PROPELLED BY THE MOTION OF THE WAVES.

seen, it is not unlike a dredger in appearance. As it goes along the paddle wheels at the sides plash the water and various cranks and bars and shafts also move rhythmically. The boat is a wave motor, and is designed as a permanent motion boat, although the possibility of its being used commercially has not been taken into consideration. Two flat-bottomed scows are fastened end on a huge hinge from the boat. When the scows rock in the waves, the force of their rocking is communicated to a lever which moves a fly wheel, which turns the paddle wheels, and thereby moves the boat. The waves enduing the boat goes and the higher the waves rise the greater the motive power of the boat. There was one disadvantage about the thing as originally devised; it wouldn't stop. Like the famous cork leg, it went on and on, and the only way to stop it was by an anchor.

The inventor, a man named Paul Breitenstein, stage carpenter in the San Francisco Opera House, has had much experience thus far, mostly confined to one-sided boats which toss furiously on seas of canvas while a loose-haired heroine balances gracefully in the bow and shrieks wildly for aid, which is the hero's cue to appear on stage, prudently interposed and then into safety at a trowpon. Nevertheless, the carpenter had so much confidence in his ability to handle real water problems that he expended \$600 on his invention before it was finally floated in Oakland creek. Now he believes he has a great thing, and says that nothing short of a few re-digested sum would buy the fruit of his invention.

ILLITERACY IN AMERICA.

Amount of Ignorance Among Our Peopple, and Where It Is.

According to the latest statistics of the people of the country by the enumerators of the last census was this: "Can you read?" The answers to this rather inquisitive question have been compiled and the results published, so we now know how many of our people are among the ignorant to this degree, how many of them are native-born whites,

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